

Amendments to House Bill No. 2
Committee Study Bill Copy

Requested by Representative Dan Villa

For the House Appropriations Committee

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1. Page E-1, line 4.

Following: line 4

Insert: "Educator Licensure - Legal Work"
"67,180 63,680" [general fund FY10 FY11]

2. Page E-3.

Following: line 2

"Educator Licensure - BPE Legal Work"
"10,000 11,350" [general fund FY10 and FY11]

3. Page E-2,

Following: line 21

Insert: "Educator Licensure - Legal Work and Educator Licensure -
BPE Legal Work is contingent upon the passage and approval
of House Bill 528"

- END -

Explanation - This amendment increases general fund by \$67,180 in FY 2010 and \$63,680 in FY 2011 for the Office of Public Instruction and \$21,350 for the Board of Public Education in each year of the biennium to support increased licensure revocation legal costs. OPI contracts for investigator services as needed for teacher licensure issues related to inappropriate conduct by educators as part of the process determining the necessity of revoking the license. Board of Public Education hears recommendations from the OPI contracting for legal services as needed. The funding is contingent upon the passage of House Bill 528 - Enhanced penalties for teachers convicted of sex crimes with minor.